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SUBJECT:GAO SURVEY: "POPULATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS"

1. OVER PAST SEVERAL MONTHS GAO WASHINGTON HAS BEEN STUDY-
ING POPULATION AND FAMILY PLANNING PROGRAMS IN THE DEPT.,
AID/W, PLUS VISITS TO USUN FOR DISCUSSIONS ON RELATED UNDP
AND UNFPA MATTERS. GAO NOW CONDUCTING SURVEY IN OVERSEAS
AREAS AT ACCRA AND ISLAMABAD, OBTAINING INFORMATION ON
POPULATION AND CERTAIN SOCIO-ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS
THAT ARE AFFECTED BY POPULATION GROWTH RATE. PURPOSE OF
GAO SURVEY IS TO OBTAIN "ESSENTIAL ELEMENTS NEEDED FOR
CONSIDERATION BY CONGRESS RELATIVE TO AUTHORIZATION AND
APPROPRIATION FOR POPULATION AND FAMILY PLANNING PROGRAMS".

2. GAO ADVISED DEPARTMENT ONLY TODAY OF ITS PLAN TO EXTEND
SURVEY TO TAIWAN TO OBTAIN FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON POPULA-
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TION RELATED PROGRAMS IN A COUNTRY SUCCESSFUL IN ACCOMPLISH-

ING REDUCTION OR MODERATION OF ITS POPULATION GROWTH RATE:

(1) FACTORS CONTRIBUTING TO REDUCING POPULATION GROWTH RATE;
(2) ADEQUACY OF DEMOGRAPHIC DATA AND HOW OBTAINED; (3) HOW
FAMILY PLANNING IS EVALUATED; (4) TYPE RESEARCH STUDIES
MADE; (5) EFFORTS TO INTERRELATE POPULATION AND SOCIO-
ECONOMIC PROGRAMS.

3. GAO AUDITORS BANGKOK BRANCH WILL CONDUCT STUDY O/A MID-
APRIL FOR APPROXIMATELY TWO WEEKS. GAO BRANCH DIRECTOR WIL
FURNISH EMBASSY WITH NAMES, SECURITY CLEARANCES OF AUDI-
TORS AND THEIR ACTUAL ARRIVAL DATE. GAO AWARE THAT APPOIN-
TMENTS OR CONTACTS WITH HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS ARE AT
DISCRETION OF AMBASSADOR, AND WITH THE CONCURRENCE OF THE
APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS.

4. DEPARTMENT WISHES TO BE FORTHCOMING AND COOPERATE WITH
THE GAO ON SUBJECT SURVEY WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF 4 FAM
930-934. QUESTIONS OR PROBLEMS ARISING DURING COURSE OF
SURVEY SHOULD BE REFERRED TO THE DEPARTMENT. KISSINGER

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